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> BBC Chartering & Logistic GmbH v. Usiminas Mecanica S/A, et al. Docket No.: 08-CV-00200(WHP)

Our File: 392-2

Dear Judge Pauley:

This firm represents Defendants Perini O&G, Perini Corporation and O&G Industries, Inc. (collectively "Perini") in the above-referenced matter. In that regard, I write to respectfully request an amendment to Your Honor's Scheduling Order of April 18, 2008.

The counsels for all parties have consented to a two-week extension to the time to serve the parties' motions, to March 30, In so far as the extension reduces the Plaintiff BBC Chartering's time to conduct jurisdictional discovery, the parties agree and request that Your Honor amend the Scheduling Order to reflect a two-week extension on all respective deadlines.

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Thank your for your courtesies.

Respectfully submitted,

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